





# **Fort Polk School Liaison Office Education Update**



# EDUCATION UPDATE

- **COL Woolfrey presented the Adopt A School Program at the Vernon Parish School Board Meeting** **3 Mar**
- **COL Woolfrey met with Vernon Parish School Board Committee** **8 Mar**
- **BG Barbero met with Governor Blanco** **15 Mar in Baton Rouge**
- **LA Statewide Testing** **14-18 Mar**
- **Spring Break for Vernon and Beauregard Parishes** **24 Mar-1 Apr**
- **Vernon Parish School Board Meeting held at Education Center** **7 Apr**
- **Special Education Leadership Conference (SELI)** **11-12 Apr** held at the Warrior Community Center
- **Education Town Hall Meeting** **11 May**



# **FORT POLK AFAP ISSUE AND INSTALLATION VOLUNTEER AWARD CEREMONY UPDATE**





# **Fort Polk AFAP Issue Update**

**101 Issues submitted to Conference (29 & 30 Nov 2004)**

## **CURRENT STANDINGS:**

**COMPLETED ISSUES - 33**

**ACTIVE ISSUES - 10**

**UN-ATTAINABLE ISSUES - 9**

**NON-ISSUES - 42**

**FORSCOM ISSUES - 6**



# Volunteer of the Year Awards Time Line

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
• Last day to submit hours for proposed Volunteer of the Year nominees and to ensure proposed nominees are registered with the IVC.	8 Apr
• Last day to submit nominations for Volunteer of the Year nominees.	15 Apr
• Invitations will be mailed out to all nominees and special guests.	22 Apr
• Selection Committee Meets to choose Volunteers of the Year.	2 May
• Last day to RSVP for Volunteer of the Year Ceremony.	6 May
• Volunteer of the Year Ceremony and Reception.	12 May



# **Directorate of Morale, Welfare, and Recreation Update**



# **DMWR SIGNIFICANT EVENTS**

- **AER Campaign**  
**1 Mar - 15 May**
- **Child Abuse Prevention Month/Month of the**  
**1-30 Apr**  
**Military Child**
- **Child Abuse Prevention Month Proclamation Signing**  
**4 Apr**  
**GC Conf Rm., 1100**
- **Sunset Golf Tournament (Warrior Hills, 1600)**  
**9 Apr**
- **Archery T-Shirt Shoot (Archery Range, 1000-1400)**  
**17 Apr**
- **Child Abuse Prevention Seminar (ACSC, 0800-1630)**  
**25-26 Apr**
- **Big Wheels Day (CDC, 0800-1100)**  
**29 Apr**



# Directorate of Public Works Update



# Access Control Points (ACP) Update



**ACP  
#2**

- 467 North (ACP #2), \$1.4M  
Opened 7 Mar05
- K Ave (ACP #7), \$2.2M  
Projected Completion Date: 30Apr05
- LA Ave (ACP #1), \$2.9M  
Projected Completion Date: 31Aug05



**ACP  
#7**

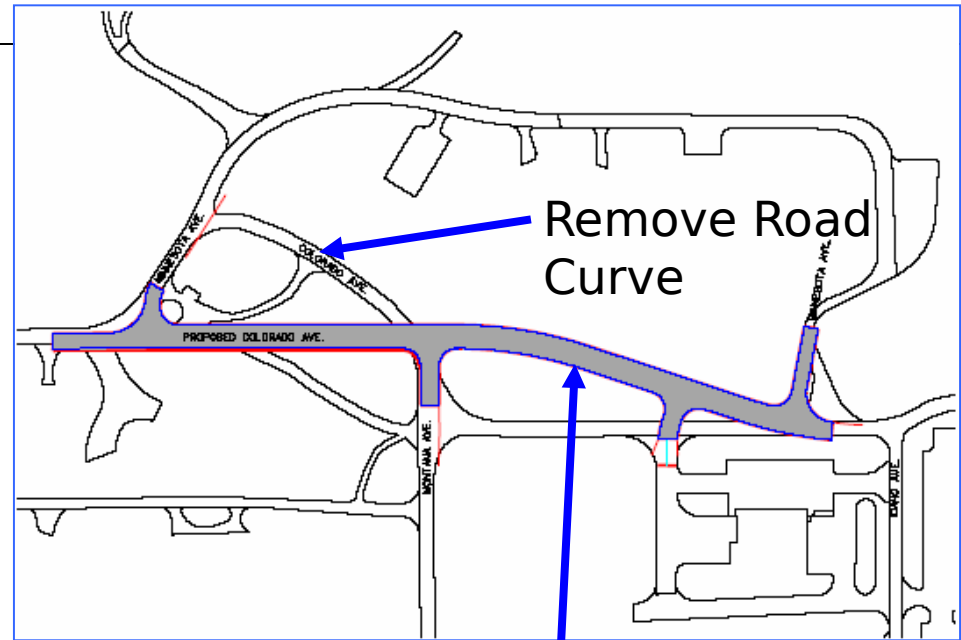
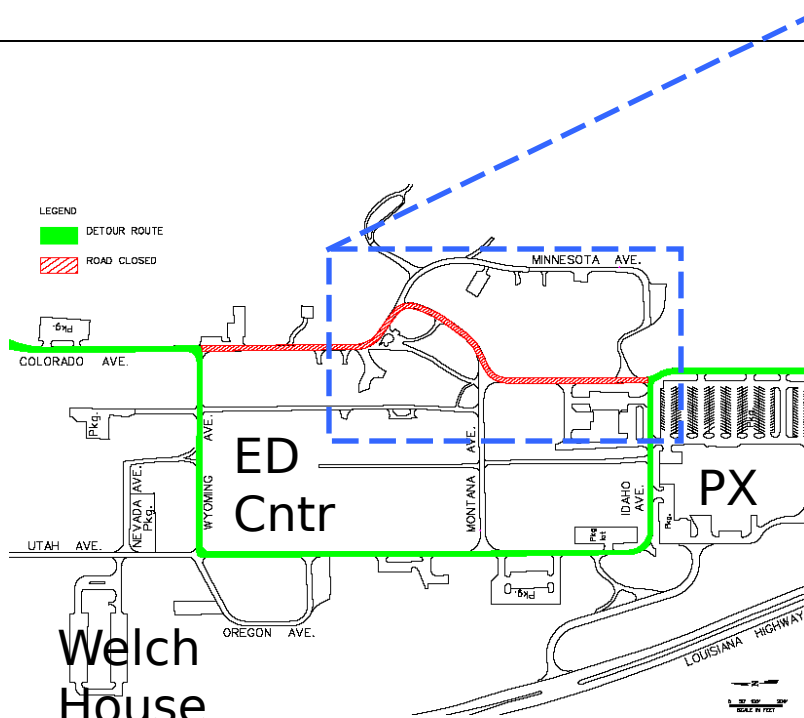


**ACP  
#1**

5 April 2005



# Colorado Avenue Reconstruction



## Reconstruction Plan

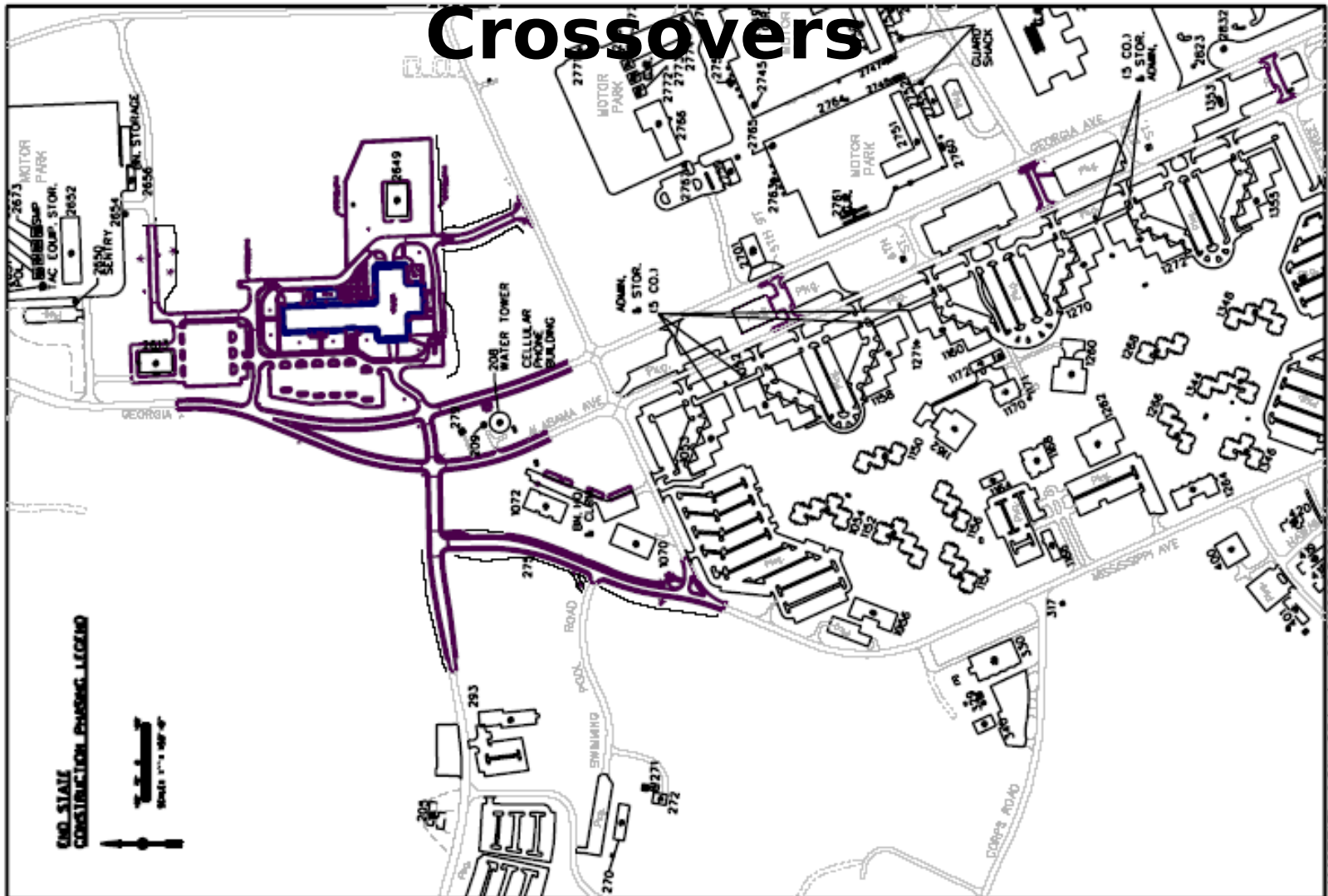
Road  
North  
← Closure/Detour  
Plan

Projected Completion  
Date: 10 Sep 05





# Alabama/ Georgia Avenue Crossovers







# **Sycamore Point and Timber Ridge 801 Housing**

**Garrison Commander and staff met with Fort Worth District Corps of Engineer and Wampold Company, 801 Housing Contractor, 14 Feb 05, to discuss resident concerns and corrective actions to be taken.**

**Agenda items discussed for improvements**

- Conditions of Quarters**
- Play Grounds**
- Crosswalks**
- Roads and Grounds**



# **Sycamore Point and Timber Ridge 801 Housing**

**Wampold Companies have addressed the following concerns from the 14 Feb 05 meeting:**

**Play Grounds - Playground repairs will consist of repainting the equipment, replacing worn swing chains and seats, and refreshing the ground around the equipment. Painting should start by 1 Apr 05 and refreshing the ground will begin once painting is completed. Weather permitting, play ground repairs should be completed by 1 Jun 05.**



# **Sycamore Point and Timber Ridge 801 Housing**

**Roads and Grounds - Scope of work being developed and work scheduled to begin by 1 Jul 05.**

**Crosswalks - Cost proposal from Wampold Companies to install seven crosswalks and appropriate signage to support the school bus stops at Timber Ridge and Sycamore Point under review.**



# **Sycamore Point and Timber Ridge 801 Housing**

**Crosswalks - Wampold Companies submitted a proposal to install seven crosswalks and appropriate signage to support the school bus stops at Timber Ridge and Sycamore Point Housing Areas at a total cost of \$11,604.00. Work will commence upon receipt of a contract to Wampold Companies.**



# **Scheduled Power Outages**

- **Over the next few days areas of South Fort Family Housing has scheduled power outages and will be affected on different days and at different times. Duration for each area outage is approximately four hours.**
- **The reason for these outages varies from street to street. The main reasons are to connect power to new primary switches and transformers or connecting of new primary sub feeds to electrical primary feeds.**



# Power Outage Schedule

- **5 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs: This outage will affect Guiney St, Guiney Pl, Denham St, Kleveno Ct, in Azalea Acres Leadbetter Ct and Yesacavage Ct. Outage is to connect new primary wire.**
- **5 Apr 05, This outage will affect Clyburn Lp, Coit St, Zell Ct, Batora St, and Langford St. Outage is to connect power to new primary wire.**



# Power Outage Schedule

- **6 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs:** This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Langford St, Stewart St, Clyburn Lp, Batora St, Coit St, Zell Ct, and Jordan Ct. (Azalea Acres) Clary Ct, Leadbetter Ct, Yesacavage Ct, and Picerne Warehouse. Outage is to connect power to new primary wire.
- **6 Apr 05 1300hrs thru 1500hrs:** This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Tracey Ct, Tracey Pl, Wideman Ct, Jordan Ct, and Denham St. Outage is to connect power to new primary switches and transformers.



# Power Outage Schedule

- **7 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs:** This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Kleveno Ct, Guiney St, Guiney Pl, and Kucinski St. (Azalea Acres) Crawford Ct, and Leadbetter Ct. (Cypress Terrace) Randolph Ct, Hall Ct, and Haag St. Outage is to connect power to new primary switches and transformers.
- **7 Apr 05 1300hrs thru 1700hrs:** This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Noldan St, Noldan Pl, and Kucinski St. (Cypress Terrace) Randolph Ct, Hall Ct, and Haag St. In addition the Traffic Light at the intersection of Louisiana Ave and Holmlund St. Outage is to connect power to new primary switches and transformers.
- **11 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs:** This outage will affect the Azalea Acres Housing Area and the AAFES Store at the intersection of Hwy 467 and Holmlund St. Outage is to connect existing primary feed from Azalea Acres Housing Area to new switch.





# Power Outage Schedule

- **12 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs: This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Guiney St, Guiney Pl, Kucinski St, Noldan St, Noldan Pl, Kleveno Ct, Denham St. (Azalea Acres) Yesacavage Ct, Clary Ct, Leadbetter Ct, Crawford Ct. (Cypress Terrace) Randolph Ct, Hall Ct, Haag St and Haag Pl. Outage is to connect new primary sub feeds to new electrical primary switches.**
- **13 Apr 05 0900hrs thru 1300hrs: This outage will affect (Dogwood Housing) Langford St, Batora St, Stewart St, Clyburn Lp, Zell Ct, Coit St, Jordan Ct, Tracey Ct, Tracey Pl, and Wideman Ct. Outage is to connect new primary sub feeds to new electrical primary switches.**



# AAFES Update



# **AAFES Update Upcoming Events**

- Spring Fashion's Sale** **1-7 Apr 05**
- Spring Linen Sale** **8-14 Apr 05**
- Beauty Day's Sale** **15-21 Apr 05**
- Mother's Day Sale** **22-28 Apr 05**



# **AAFES Update**

## **AAFES News**

- **Main Burger King closed for renovation from 28 Mar 05 to 8 Apr 05. Burger King Express will be open for breakfast and will also extend it's closing hours during this time to accommodate the Soldiers.**

- **New AAFES Catalog is available now. Additionally we also have mini catalogs available:**

**Baby Catalog**

**Home Décor Catalog**

- **Book Signing 8-9 Apr 05. "Sister Gumbo" by Author's Ursula Kindred and Miranda**



# Commissary Update



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- **Survey Results are available in a handout in the back**
- **Change in produce supplier**
- **Worldwide Case Lot Sale - 14 & 15 May 05**



# Picerne Military Housing Update



# Neighborhood Activities

- **Breakfast on the Go!** **0700-0900** **15 Apr**
- **Earth Day Awareness** **18-**  
**22 Apr**
- **All American Carnival** **1130-1430** **23 Apr**
- **Mother's Day Drawings** **25**  
**Apr-6 May**

## Housing/Rank Designation

- **Realign homes by grade to meet DA Housing Market Analysis**
- **Vacant 01 - 03 homes**





# Directorate of Emergency Services Update



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## **Biometric Identification System (BIDS)**

- **Registration Center is now open for walk-ins**
- **May schedule large groups by calling 531-BIDS**
- **Located at Bldg 401 on Radio Road**

## **Non-Military Affiliated Visitor's Pass**

- **Obtained only at ACP #1 and ACP #6 between 2300-0**
- **No other time is affected**
- **Implemented 1 Mar 05**

## **Vehicle Registration**



# Installation Safety Office Update



# **Volume I: Findings; National Survey of Distracted and Drowsy Attitudes and Behavior**

- **26% of drivers have been involved in a car crash in the last**
- **While Driving:**
  - **49% - Drivers eat or drink**
  - **25% - Drivers make outgoing cellular phone calls**
  - **26% - Drivers receive incoming cellular phone calls**
  - **24% - Drivers deal with children riding in the rear seat**
- **Activities that take drivers attention away from the road:**
  - **81% - Talking with other passengers**
  - **66% - Playing with the radio or CD**
  - **49% - Eating or Drinking**
  - **25% - Using a cellular phone**

## **DRIVING IS A FULL TIME JOB**



# Staff Judge Advocate Update



# **OSJA - Tax Center Information**

- **FREE Federal & State Tax Preparation and Electronic Filing**
- **Location: Bldg. 403, Radio Road**
- **Hours of Operation: Monday thru Friday 0900 - 1600 hours**  
**Saturday 0900 - 1200 hours**  
**Closed on Sunday and Holidays**

**EXTENDED HOURS: 0900-2000 hours**  
**(Wed. & Thu.) 6 & 7 Apr**

**(Wed., Thu. & Fri.) 13, 14, & 15 Apr**

• **Appointments and Walk-In Service Available**



# OSJA - 2005 LAW DAY ACTIVITIES

- **2005 Law Day Theme: The American Jury: We the People in Action**
- **Law Day 5K: Fun, Fitness, & Celebration of the Rule of Law**
  - **Monday, 0630 2 May**
  - **Wheelock Gym**
  - **Awards for Athletic Achievement**
- **Golf Scramble: Fun, Team, & Celebration of the Rule of Law**
  - **Friday, 0900 29 Apr**
  - **Warrior Hills Golf Course**
  - **Team & Individual Prizes (New Car for Hole-in-One)**



# Installation Chaplain's Office Update





# **Installation Chaplain's Office Update Main Post Chapel**

## **Catholic Activities**

### **Confirmation Service with Bishop Estabrook**

**• 1600 - 2100 Main Post Chapel**

**6 Apr 05**

## **Ecumenical Activities**

### **40 Days of Purpose Campaign**

**Free Purpose Driven Life Books at MPC**



# Installation Chaplain's Office Update

## Main Post Chapel

### **"40 Days of Purpose" Campaign**

#### **Campaign Kickoff**

**9**

**Apr 05**

- Ecumenical Picnic **1730 MPC**
  - Simulcast Video **1900**
- MPC**
- Host Home and Chapel Study signup **2000**
- MPC**

#### **Campaign Study Groups**

- MPC - Sunday 0915 and Wednesday 1730  
(watchcare provided at chapel)
- Weekdays as determined by Host Homes

**Youth of the Chapel - Sunday 0915 & 1430, Wed**



# Dental Activity (DENTAC) Update



# **Dental Activity (DENTAC) Update Spring Fest 2005**

- **30 Apr 05 - Alligator Lake 0800-1400**
- **Dental Health and Education Booth**
- **Giveaways - Tooth Brushes, Stickers, etc**
- **Community Health Dental Hygienist**



# **Medical Department Activity (MEDDAC) Update**



# Bayne-Jones Army Community Hospital

- **Holocaust Remembrance Day**

Glory Chapel (formerly Dragoon Chapel) 1230-1500

3 May

Open to the community

Guest Speaker - Rose Van Thyn, camp survivor

- **TRICARE**

Pharmacy Update

Family Readiness Group Support

Seasonal Changes

Patient/Beneficiary Issues

- **Mosquito Abatement/Surveillance Program**



# Warrior Brigade Update



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## • Deployment Activities Deployment

- 488 QM Co
- 546<sup>th</sup> Maintenance Co
- 209<sup>th</sup> MP Co
- 115<sup>th</sup> FH
- 11<sup>th</sup> PAD
- HHD, 142d CSB
- 383<sup>rd</sup> MCT

### • 1863<sup>rd</sup> MP Certification

24 Mar -

19 Apr 05

### • Convoy Live Fire Exercises

#### • 83<sup>rd</sup> Chemical Battalion

10 -

16 Apr 05

#### • 519<sup>th</sup> Military Police Battalion

25 -

30 Apr 05





# Operations Group Update



# Operations Group Exercise

- **2<sup>nd</sup> BCT, 4<sup>th</sup> BCT, 101<sup>st</sup> SUST Brigade and 159<sup>th</sup> Aviation Brigade, 101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Division (Air Assault)**
- **2 - 23 Apr 05 MILES Force on Force at N. Fort Polk**
- **N. Fort Polk Cantonment Area open to traffic with caution**
- **Increased helicopter operations**
- **Increased military traffic congestion on Highway 28 from Alexandria Airport on 2 - 23 - 05**



# **4<sup>th</sup> Brigade, 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division (Light) Update**



# **4<sup>th</sup> Brigade, 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division Events**

- **2-4 IN, 2-30 IN, 3-89 CAV and respective forward support companies will be deploying to Fort Chaffee for Off-Post Training Event from 14 Apr - 27 May 05.**



# **4<sup>th</sup> Brigade, 10<sup>th</sup> Mountain Division FRG Events**

- **2-4 Battalion FRG Meeting/Pre Deployment** **7**  
**Apr 05**  
**Brief at 1200 and 1800 at Glory Chapel**
- **2-30 Battalion FRG Meeting at the** **6**  
**Apr 05**  
**Battalion conference room**
- **3-89 Cavalry will hold a Squadron** **6**  
**Apr 05**  
**FRG Meeting at Glory Chapel at 1800**
- **5-25 FA will hold Battery FRG Meetings**  
**12-14 Apr 05**  
**in the FRG classroom**
- **4<sup>th</sup> BSTB will hold Company FRG meetings**





# **CAC Old Issue Update Issue # 05-01**

- **Topic: Request that a handicap ramp be constructed at the south entrance of the Main Exchange.**
- **Discussion: Military retired senior citizen currently confined to a wheelchair cannot access the PX.**
- **Most handicap customers using the barber shop at the PX prefer to use the south entrance. The area does not have a handicap ramp and it is very difficulty to transport the wheelchair onto the sidewalk.**



# **CAC Old Issue Update Issue # 05-01**

## **Recommendation:**

- **That the curb in the sidewalk be cut, to create a wheelchair accessible ramp.**
- **That a handicap sign be installed so that handicap patrons desiring to use the barber shop can identify the entrance.**

## **Action Taken/ Response:**

- **A work order was submitted on 11 Jan, to construct a handicap ramp.**
- **A scope of work and cost estimate is currently being developed for a south entrance handicap ramp.**





# **CAC Old Issue Update**

## **Issue # 05-01**

### **5 April update**

#### **Action Taken/ Response:**

- **Handicap parking space was established near the south entrance.**
- **A handicap ramp was identified, the security barrier was moved, the ramp was marked so that ramp could be easily identified near the south entrance.**

**Responding Agency: DPW**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-03**

- **Topic: Unprofessional Conduct of Our Gate Guards**
- **Discussion: When driving through entrance gates on several occasions I find the gate guards yelling across at each other, joking around, and barely acknowledging the driver and ID card as it was displayed. I have also noticed a lack of the use of hand and arm signal which makes it difficult to know when to approach the gate or which guard to approach.**
- **Recommendation: That the guards refrain from joking around and holding conversations with co-workers while traffic is coming through the gates and that they use the proper hand and arm signals.**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-03**

- **Action Taken: Our Gate Guards at Fort Polk are made up of Military Police, DA Police, and CHENEGA Security Guards and we hold them all to the highest standards. Any allegations of misconduct are actively investigated. Please report all unprofessional conduct of any gate guards immediately to the Deputy Provost Marshal at 531-2332.**
- **Responding Agency: DES**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-04**

- **Topic: Traffic Control Problems at the South Polk Elementary School**
- **Discussion: The traffic light at the intersection of South Polk and Dogwood Housing Area is very short. Although the MP's are there most mornings, there is no continuity in their method for directing traffic. On some mornings the MP will direct traffic, on other mornings the MP will not direct traffic and other mornings the MP will only direct traffic for busses.**
- **Recommendations:**
  - **1. Have the light adjusted to allow traffic from South Polk Elementary to proceed first, and then have the traffic from Dogwood to proceed.**
  - **2. Have all the MP's direct traffic in a consistent manner**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-04**

- **Action Taken: MPs provide Traffic Control on days that school is in session to ensure the safe entry and exit of school buses from the South Polk Elementary School. The MP conducting Traffic Control at the intersection is tasked to ensure the safe passage of children traveling by bus. When there is not a bus in the area all traffic should travel as indicated by the traffic light.**
- **Responding Agency: DES**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-05**

- **Topic: Parking problems for residents in the Timber Ridge Housing Area**
- **Discussion: I live at 1219 Dogwood Circle. My family and share our apartment building with three other families, parking is an issue. Due to the configuration on our street all four families cannot park two vehicles per family without blocking someone in. All four families at one time or another has received a ticket for illegal parking. We try to obey the parking rules but there are just not enough parking spaces on my street.**



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-05**

- **Recommendation:** That the grass be removed from the circle and that area be converted to a parking area. It is more import for families to have ample parking spaces (two per family) then to have grass in the circle.
- **Action Taken:** Funding was approved for additional parking on Dogwood Circle.
- **Requests for construction** has been sent to Fort Worth District Engineers.
- **Responding Agency:** DPW



# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-06**

- **Topic: 801 Leased Housing residents being denied quality of life activities provided to on post residents.**
- **Discussion: Under the provisions of the 801 Lease agreement between the Fort Worth District Corp of Engineers and the Developer, Wampold & Companies, Lease agreement requirements are to provide maintenance and maintenance management support only for Sycamore Point and Timber Ridge Housing Areas.**
- **Recommendation: That the residents of lease housing be provided the same quality of life activity as on post resident housing.**





# **CAC New Issue Session**

## **Issue # 05-06**

- **Action Taken: Army Family Housing Funding that Fort Polk receives is for maintenance, salaries, and supplies only and can not be used to fund these types of activities.**
- **Fort Polk DMWR conducted an Easter Egg Hunt for children at Perez Field on March 19, 2005 that was open to all Fort Polk Soldiers and their families. Fort Polk DMWR schedules and conducts multiple activities that are open to all soldiers and their families throughout the year. Activities of a community nature continue to be provided by Fort Polk DMWR.**
- **Responding Agency: DPW**



# Audience Open Session





# Garrison Commander's Update



# Garrison Commander's Update





# INSTALLATION KEY EVENTS

- Tide race car on exhibit at commissary 1000 -  
1700 7 Apr 05
- Free child seat safety check, Perez Field. 1000 -  
1400 8 Apr 05  
Call 531-3776 for appt, however, walk-ins are welcome.
- Submissions due for Fort Polk's Earth Day poster/essay  
15 Apr 05  
contest. For more information call 531-2640.
- Operation Earth Friendly Fishing Derby, Catfish Cove  
0700 16 Apr 05
- Red Cross Babysitter training, Library and 0900 -  
1600 16 Apr 05  
Education Center. Call 531-4041.



# AREA KEY EVENTS

- **Greater Beauregard Chamber Of Commerce**      **0800**  
**23 Apr 05**  
**5K Run, Deridder Fun Run (Deridder)**  
**\$15.00 Registration fee. Call 463-5533 for info.**
- **Rosepine Roses in the Pine Fest.**      **0900 to dusk**  
**8-9 Apr 05**    **Call (337) 460-0280 for info.**
- **Jazz and Heritage Festival in New Orleans.**  
**30 Apr 05**    **Bus leaves from Leesville at 5:30 a.m.**  
**Call 238-1319 for info.**





# **Methods of Submitting a CAC Issue**

## **INTERNET**

**Access the Fort Polk Web Page**

**[www.JRTC-Polk.Army.Mil](http://www.JRTC-Polk.Army.Mil)**

**Click on CAC Issue Forms**

## **EMAIL**

**[CAC@Polk.Army.Mil](mailto:CAC@Polk.Army.Mil)**

## **PHONE**

**531-CAC1**



**Next CAC will be conducted  
3 May at 0900 on at the  
Warrior Community  
Center**

**Slide Suspense COB 22 Apr  
CLC Wed 0930 WCC**